

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE
WESTERN DIVISION

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W.D. OF TN, MEMPHIS

TOMMIE HAMPTON,

Plaintiff,

v.

CITY OF MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE,
et al.,

Defendants.

NO. 04-2537 MI/An

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO EXTEND CERTAIN
SCHEDULING ORDER DEADLINES

Before the Court is Plaintiff's Motion to Extend Certain Scheduling Order Deadlines filed on May 26, 2005. For good cause shown, the motion is **GRANTED**. The Scheduling Order shall be modified to reflect the following deadlines:

Completing Written Discovery	July 29, 2005
Depositions	July 29, 2005
Expert Disclosures	
For the Plaintiff	June 29, 2005
For the Defendants	July 29, 2005
Dispositive Motions Deadline	September 15, 2005

The other deadlines established in the Rule 16(b) Scheduling Order shall remain in effect.

Additionally, after reviewing Plaintiff's Motion, the Court is concerned that Plaintiff did not comply with Local Rule 7.2(a)(1)(B) regarding consultation of counsel. Local Rule 7.2(a)(1)(B) provides:

Consultation by Counsel. All motions, including discovery motions, but not

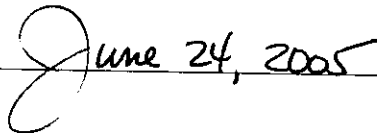
including motions pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 12, 56, 59, and 60 shall be accompanied by a certificate of counsel (with one copy) affirming that, after consultation between the parties to the controversy, they are unable to reach an accord as to all issues or that all other parties are in agreement with the action requested by the motion. Failure to file an accompanying certificate of consultation may be deemed good grounds for denying the motion.

The certificate must contain the names of participating counsel and the date and manner of consultation. The burden will be on counsel filing the motion to initiate the conference upon giving reasonable notice of the time, place and specific nature of the conference. If an opposing counsel or party refuses to cooperate in the conduct of a conference, counsel must file certificate to that effect, setting out counsel's efforts to comply with this rule.

It appears that Plaintiff's counsel only tried to contact Defendants' counsel on the date the instant Motion was filed. Local Rule 7.2(a)(1)(B) requires more effort by counsel. Plaintiff's counsel is warned that the failure to comply with Local Rules in the future could result in the automatic denial of any future motions.

IT IS SO ORDERED.


S. THOMAS ANDERSON
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Date: 



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